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Applicant(s): James Travis, et al. )  
Serial No.: Unknown )  
Filed: Even date herewith )  
For: A POLYPEPTIDE HAVING AMIDOLYTIC ACTIVITY FOR A SERPIN

ELECTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §3.71, REVOCATION,  
POWER OF ATTORNEY, AND CERTIFICATE UNDER §3.73(b)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
**BOX PATENT APPLICATION**  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

The Assignee, The University of Georgia Research Foundation, Inc., of the entire interest in the above-identified application hereby elects, under 37 C.F.R. §3.71, to prosecute the application to the exclusion of the inventors.

The Assignee hereby revokes any previous Powers of Attorney and appoints:

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as its attorney or agent (with full powers of appointment, substitution and revocation) to prosecute the application, and any division, continuation, continuation-in-part, reexamination or reissue thereof, to make alterations and amendments therein, and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office in connection therewith, and to receive any Letters Patent.

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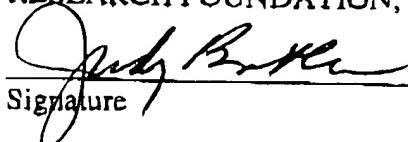
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The University of Georgia Research Foundation, Inc., a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Georgia, and having an office and place of business at Boyd Graduate Studies Research Center, Athens, Georgia 30602-7411, USA, certifies that it is the assignee of the entire right, title, and interest in the patent application identified above by virtue of an assignment from the inventors, a copy of which is attached. I have reviewed all the documents in the chain of title of the patent application identified above and, to the best of my knowledge and belief, title is in the assignee identified above.

I am empowered to sign this certificate on behalf of the assignee.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true, and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further, that these statements are made with the knowledge that willful false statements, and the like so made, are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001, Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

THE UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA  
RESEARCH FOUNDATION, INC.

  
Signature

Judy C. Butler  
Typed or Printed Name

Corporate Secretary  
Title

16 October 2001

Date

**ASSIGNMENT**

Whereas We, James Travis, Jan Potempa, and Daniel Nelson, with residences and citizenships as indicated below; have made an invention in

**A POLYPEPTIDE HAVING AMIDOLYTIC ACTIVITY FOR A SERPIN**

International Application No. PCT/US00/10574, filed April 20, 2000  
U.S. Provisional Appln. Serial No. 60/130,436, filed April 21, 1999

Now, therefore, for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is acknowledged, we have individually and jointly agreed to assign and transfer and do hereby assign and transfer unto The University of Georgia Research Foundation, Inc. ("Company"), a corporation of GEORGIA, having its principal office at Boyd Graduate Studies Research Center, Athens, Georgia 30602-7411, USA, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title, and interest in and to said invention and application, and in and to any division or continuation (in whole or in part) of said application, and in and to any and all improvements in said invention made by us or any of us or made jointly with others (provided any such improvement is made during, or within one year after the termination of, the employment by the Company of whichever of us, solely or jointly with one or more others, has made the same), and in and to any and all Patents, reexaminations, reissues, or extensions thereof, of the United States of America and countries foreign thereto (including the right to apply for Patents, Utility Models, or Inventors' Certificates in foreign countries in its own name and to claim any priority rights for such foreign applications to which such applications are entitled under international conventions, treaties, or otherwise), which have been or may be granted thereon or on any continued prosecution application, divisional, continuation (in whole or in part), renewal, reexamination, reissue, or other or further application based in whole or in part upon said invention or improvements thereon, to be held and enjoyed as fully and exclusively as they would have been by us or any of us had this assignment and transfer not been made;

We do further agree for ourselves and for our heirs, executors, and administrators, to execute and deliver without further consideration any further applications, assignments, and documents, and to perform such other acts as we lawfully may, that may be deemed necessary by the Company, its successors, assigns, and nominees, fully to secure its right, title, and interest as aforesaid and to obtain or maintain Patents, Utility Models, or Inventors' Certificates in any and all countries;

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In witness whereof, we have hereunto signed our names on the days and years set forth below.

Name: James Travis  
Address: 825 Riverbend Parkway, Athens, Georgia 30605  
Citizenship: USA

Date

STATE OF Georgia )  
COUNTY OF Clarke ) ss.

*10/03/00*

On this 3rd day of October 20 00 before me personally appeared James Travis to me known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and he/she executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

*Wendy M. Shelton*  
Notary Public

*10/03/00*

Name: Jan Potempa  
Address: 170 Burlington Drive, Apt. #102, Athens, Georgia 30605  
Citizenship: USA

Date

STATE OF Georgia )  
COUNTY OF Clarke ) ss.

On this 3rd day of October 20 00 before me personally appeared Jan Potempa to me known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and he/she executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

*Wendy M. Shelton*  
Notary Public

*Assignment*

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*Daniel Nelson*

*10/10/00*

Date

Name: Daniel Nelson

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Citizenship: USA

STATE OF New York )  
COUNTY OF New York ) ss.

On this 10 day of October 2000 before me personally appeared Daniel Nelson, to me known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and he/she executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

*Gloria Chang*  
Notary Public

GLORIA CHANG DIGENNARO  
Notary Public, State of New York  
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